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Honorable Commissioner for Patents
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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing in the Patent Application of
Inventor(s): Darren Kerr et al.

For: PACKET STRIPING ACROSS A PARALLEL HEADER
PROCESSOR

Serial No.: 09/663,777

Filed: September 18, 2000

are the following papers:

- ☒ A response to the Office action dated July 7, 2004
- ☐ A petition for extension of time and check for \$
- ☒ A check for \$926 to cover the fee for additional claims resulting from the response. The fee is calculated as follows:

Total Claims Remaining after
Amendment:.....48
Less Highest Number of Total Claims
Previously Paid for:.....21

Difference.....27 × \$ 18 = \$ 486

Independent Claims Remaining
after Amendment.....9
Less Highest Number of Independent
Claims Previously Paid for.....4

Difference.....5 × \$ 88 = \$ 440

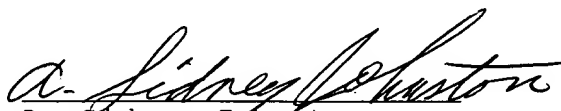
Multiple-Dependent-Claim Fee Required
after Amendment and Not Previously Paid.....\$ 0

Total of Above Calculations.....\$ 926
Less Reduction for Small Entity\$ 0

Total Due\$ 926

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any
other fees under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16 and 1.17 that may be required,
or credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 03-1237.

Respectfully submitted,



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Examiner: Roberta A. Stevens

Art Unit: 2664

Cesari and McKenna, LLP
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October 8, 2004

EXPRESS-MAIL DEPOSIT

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FEE TRANSMITTAL for FY 2003

Effective 01/01/2003. Patent fees are subject to annual revision.

☐ Applicant Claims Small Entity Status. See 37 CFR 1.27

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$)
926

Complete if Known

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Deposit Account Number: 03-1237
Deposit Account Name: Cesari and McKenna, LLP

The Commissioner is authorized to: (check all that apply)
☐ Charge fee indicated below ☒ Charge any deficiency or Credit any overpayments
☐ Charge any additional fee(s) during the pendency of this application
☐ Charge fee(s) indicated below, except for the filing fee to the above-identified deposit account.

FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
		1001	790	Utility filing fee	
		1002	350	Design filing fee	
		1003	550	Plant filing fee	
		1004	790	Reissue filing fee	
		1005	160	Provisional filing fee	
SUBTOTAL (1)				(\$)	0

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

Extra Claims Fee from below Fee Paid
Total Claims: 48 - 21** = 27 x 18 = 486
Independent Claims: 9 - 4** = 5 x 88 = 440
Multiple Dependent: = 0

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
		1202	18	Claims in excess of 20	
		1201	88	Independent claims in excess of 3	
		1203	300	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid	
		1204	88	**Reissue independent claims over original patent	
		1205	18	**Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent	
SUBTOTAL (2)				(\$)	926

**or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissues, see below

FEE CALCULATION (continued)

3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
		1051	130	2051 65 Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
		1052	50	2052 25 Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
		1053	130	1053 130 Non-English Specification	
		1812	2,520	1812 2,520 For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
		1804	920	1804 920* Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
		1805	1,840	1805 1,840* Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
		1251	110	2251 55 Extension for reply within first month	
		1252	430	2252 215 Extension for reply within second month	
		1253	980	2253 490 Extension for reply within third month	
		1254	1,530	2254 765 Extension for reply within fourth month	
		1255	2,080	2255 1,040 Extension for reply within fifth month	
		1401	330	2401 165 Notice of Appeal	
		1402	330	2402 165 Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
		1403	290	2403 145 Request for oral hearing	
		1451	1,510	1451 1,510 Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
		1452	110	2452 55 Petition to revive - unavoidable	
		1453	1,370	2453 685 Petition to revive - unintentional	
		1501	1,370	2501 685 Utility Issue fee (or reissue)	
		1502	490	2502 245 Design Issue fee	
		1503	660	2503 330 Plant Issue fee	
		1460	130	1460 130 Petitions to the Commissioner	
		1807	50	1807 50 Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	
		1806	180	1806 180 Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
		8021	40	8021 40 Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
		1809	790	2809 395 Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))	
		1810	790	2810 395 For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))	
		1801	790	2801 395 Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
		1802	900	1802 900 Request for expedited examination of a design application	
Other fee (specify)					
Other fee (specify)					
SUBTOTAL (3)				(\$)	0

*Reduced by Basic Filing Fee Paid

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